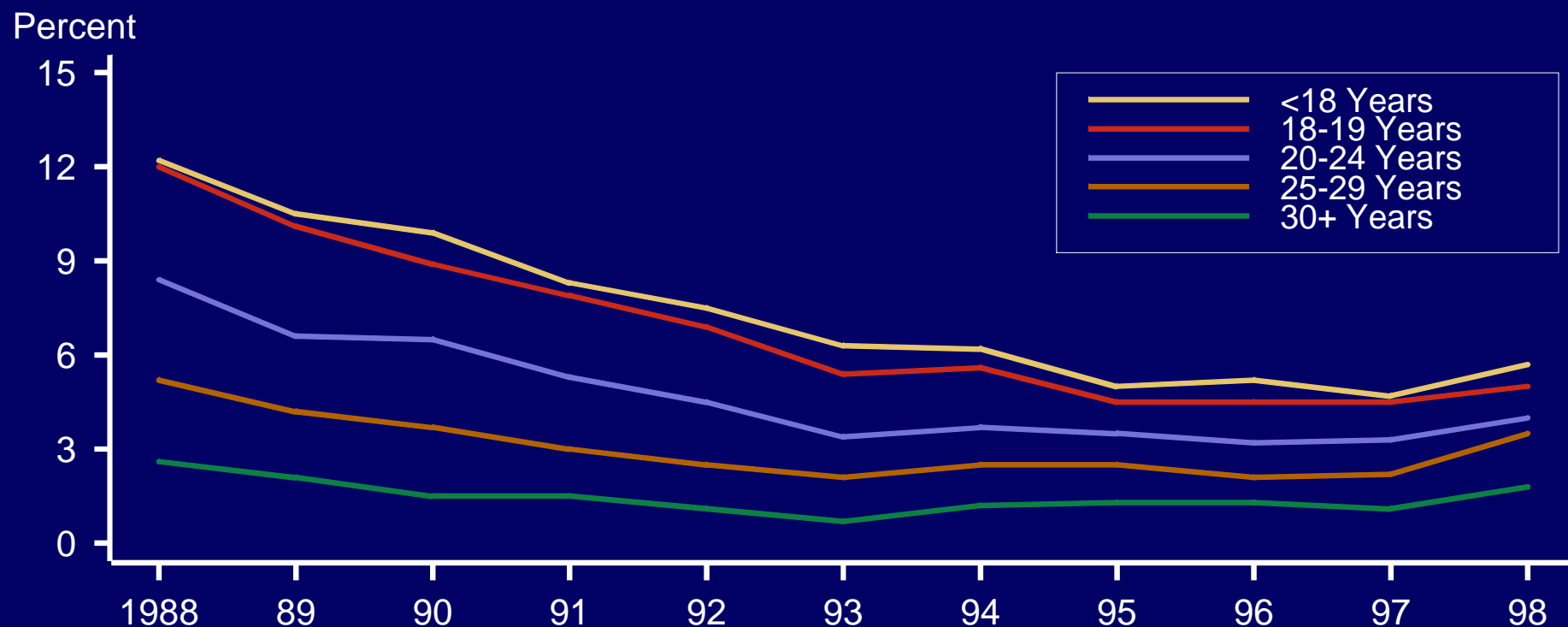


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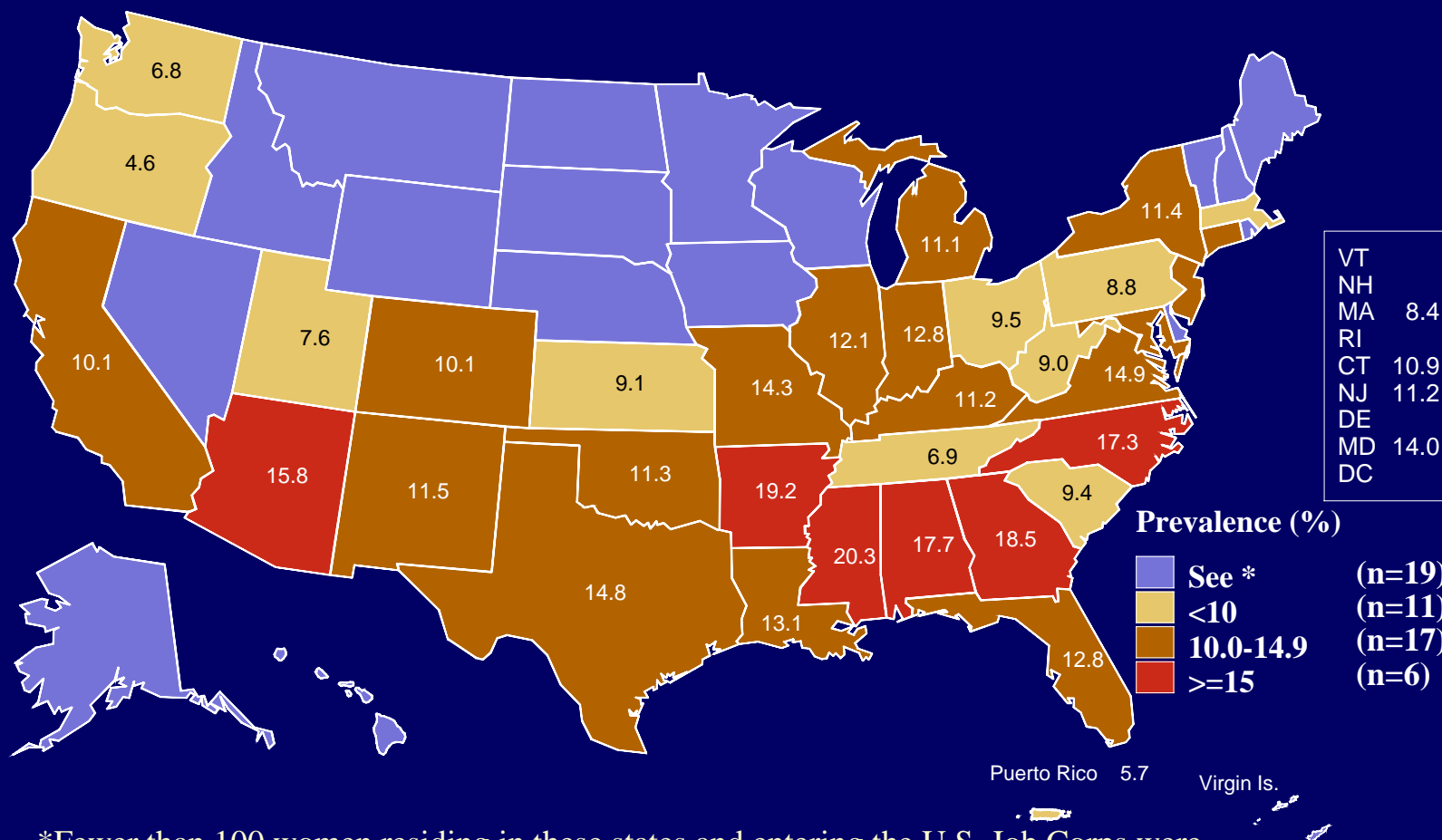
Chlamydia - Positivity among women tested in family planning clinics by age group: Region X, 1988-1998



Note: Women who met screening criteria were tested. Trends not adjusted for changes in laboratory test method in 1994 and 1998 and associated increases in test sensitivity.

SOURCE: Regional Infertility Prevention Program: Region X Chlamydia Project (Alaska, Idaho, Oregon and Washington)

Chlamydia - Prevalence among 16-24 year-old women entering the U.S. Job Corps by state of residence, 1998

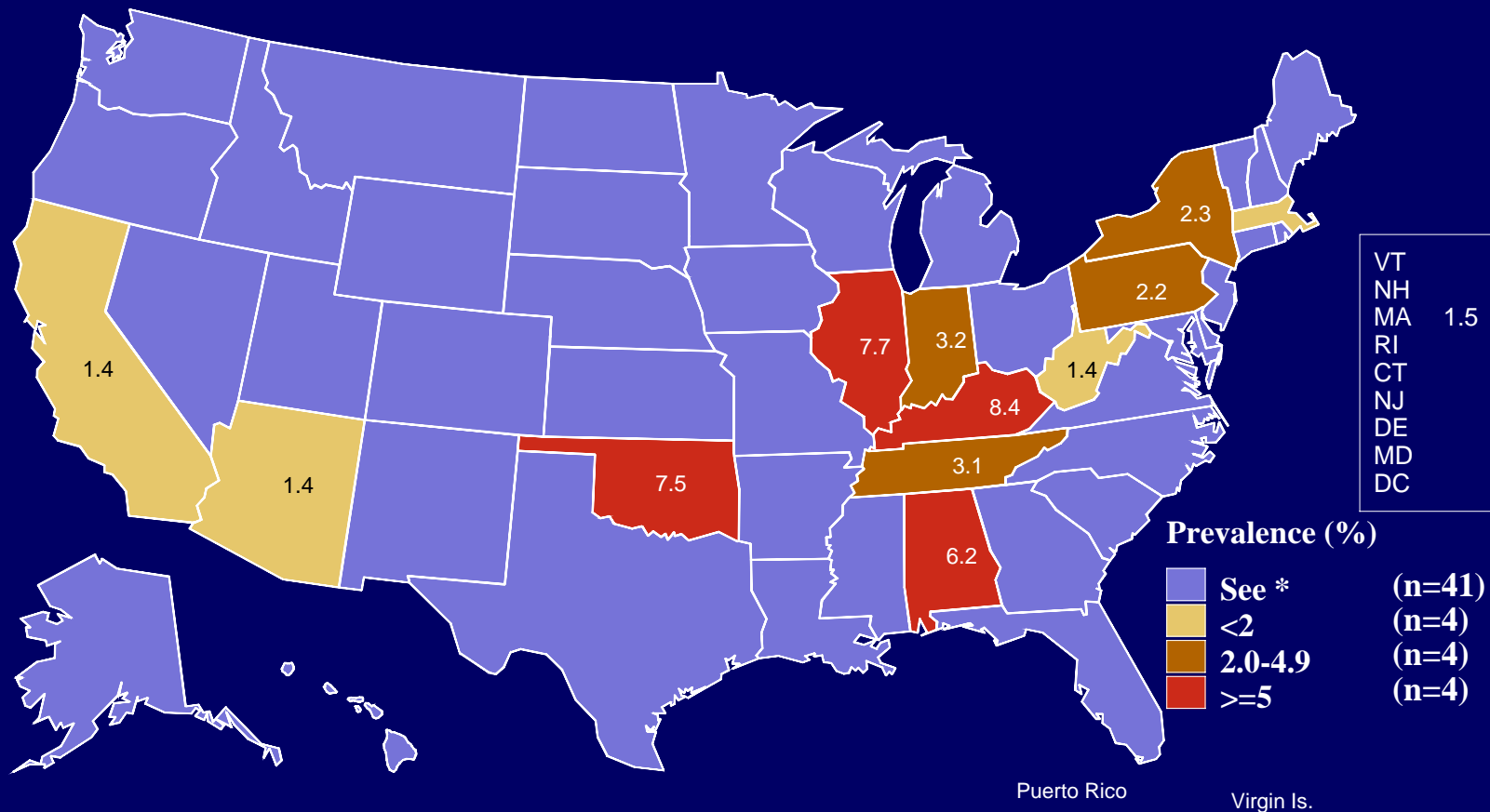


*Fewer than 100 women residing in these states and entering the U.S. Job Corps were screened for chlamydia in 1998.

Note: The overall chlamydia prevalence among female students entering the U.S. Job Corps in 1998 was 11.7%. The increase in prevalence since 1997, when the overall prevalence was 10.4%, may have been due to the change in test type from EIA to DNA probe in August 1997.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor

Gonorrhea - Prevalence among 16-24 year-old women entering the U.S. Job Corps by state of residence, 1998

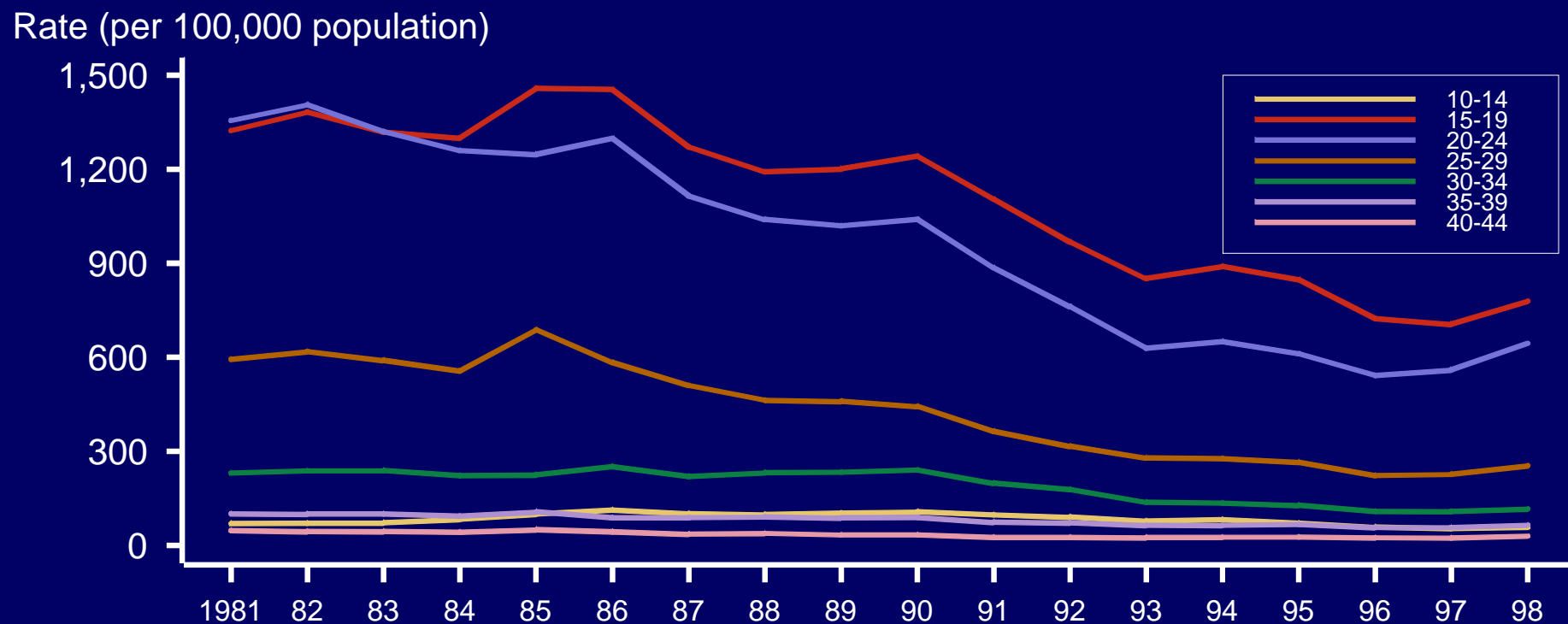


*Fewer than 100 women residing in these states and entering the U.S. Job Corps were screened for gonorrhea by the national contract laboratory in 1998.

Note: Many Job Corps centers test female students for gonorrhea using local laboratories; these results are not available to CDC. For this map, gonorrhea test results for students at centers submitting specimens to the national contract laboratory were included if the number of gonorrhea tests submitted was greater than 90% of the number of chlamydia tests submitted.

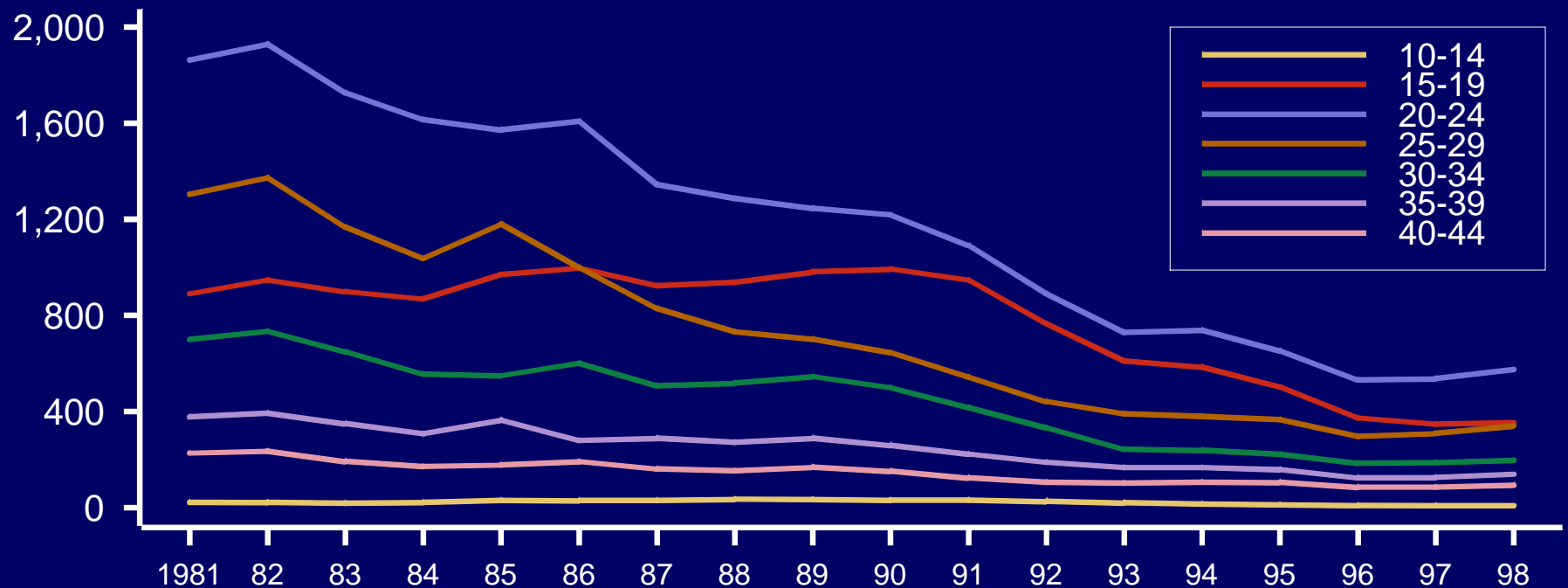
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Gonorrhea - Age-specific rates among women 10-44 years of age: United States, 1981-1998

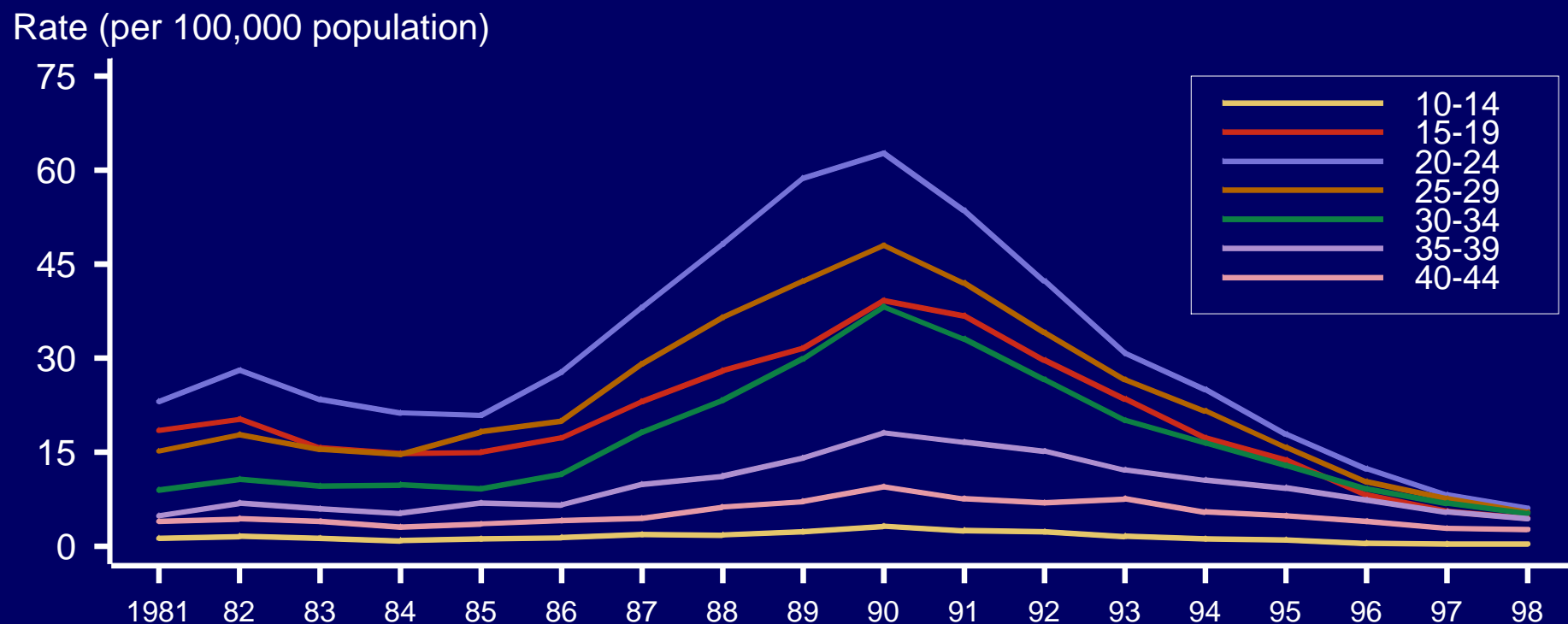


Gonorrhea - Age-specific rates among men 10-44 years of age: United States, 1981-1998

Rate (per 100,000 population)



Primary and secondary syphilis - Age-specific rates among women 10-44 years of age: United States, 1981-1998



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